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Applicant: Dale K. Bell
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AMENDMENT

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 30, 2002 (paper no. 5).
Please amend the application as follows: